

TELEGRAPHIC.

WINNIPEG, Feb. 14, '93.

Leutgers' council has applied for a new trial.

The feeling against the Jews is increasing in France.

Moore Mountain settlers are petitioning for a railway.

Fire in New York destroyed \$500,000 worth of property.

The British Columbia legislature was opened on Thursday.

A new franchise bill was introduced in the House of Commons.

Candidates have been nominated in 94 Ontario constituencies.

Great Britain's fleet in Chinese waters is the largest ever assembled there.

Japan has notified China that she will retain possession of Wei-Hai-Wei.

It is estimated that the cost of the St. Lawrence railway is \$20,000 per mile.

Senator Dupuy de Lome, Spanish ambassador to the United States, has resigned.

There is danger of hostilities between the British and French expeditions in Africa.

Rich deposits of gold bearing quartz were discovered on Black Island, Lake Winnipeg.

Two Russian nihilists were convicted in London of inciting the murder of the Czar.

Irish questions occupied the greater portion of the time of the British Commons last week.

The liberal members of parliament endorsed the St. Lawrence railway contract in a caucus.

One hundred and eight persons were killed in a panic in a Jewish synagogue in Poland.

Large falling off is reported in registrations under manhood suffrage act in Toronto.

Eleven persons were killed and twenty-six are missing as a result of the Pittsburgh fire.

The Guatemalan revolutionist, general Marreguin, was killed and his army scattered.

The interest in Zola's trial is increasing in Paris and fears for M. Zola's personal safety are expressed.

Fourteen N. W. M. P. left Regina for the St. Lawrence river on Sunday, and the detachment at Battleford are under orders.

Great Britain's failure in Italian war matter is attributed to premature publication of official information by the London Times.

Blair, Minister of Railways, said in the House to-day that supplementary estimates would have a sum for looking into the Edmonton route to Klondyke.

The address in reply to the speech from the throne passed the Commons without division. An amendment to the tariff is proposed which will confine preferential treatment to Great Britain and new South Wales.

LOCAL.

A CAR of line for K. A. McLeod arrived on last train.

At D. Beck, Q. C., went to Calgary on Saturday's train.

The Montana party pulled out on the overland route at noon to-day.

V. BEAUFRE, of Gleichen, came in on last train with 50 horses for the Klondyke trade.

The masquerade carnival of the season takes place on the Thistle rink here on Wednesday night.

MESSRS. Norris, Denker, Thomas, Parker, Houston and Tawel left last Tuesday for Peace river via the new trail.

DR. FAWCETT's party of twenty-seven left this morning for Fort St. John. They will go through the mountains by the new pass taken by Insp. Moodie.

THE hockey match between the second team Stars and Capitals, played on the rink here on Friday night, resulted in a victory for the home team by a score of eleven to one.

C. P. BRAITHWAITE and wife came in on last train. Mr. Braithwaite, who is a brother of Dr. Braithwaite of this town, intends going through to the Yukon when spring opens.

MESSRS. S. C. Griffiths, J. A. Frost, Henry Brown, Ezra Brown and Wm. Adams, composing the Owen Sound Mining & Trading Co., arrived on last train bound for the gold fields.

MESSRS. Norris and W. F. Haag, of the Fresno party, and H. Burbank, trader, who is to take them and the others of the Fresno party through to the Nelson, left on Friday morning for Fort St. John.

MESSRS. H. H. Hobler and H. DeBere, of Chicago, and Alf. H. Hummerston, of New York, pulled out on Saturday for Peace river, via the new trail. J. Griesenwaite is taking their outfit through on bob sleighs.

A PLEASANT social gathering will be held in the Methodist Parsonage, College avenue, tomorrow evening. There will be an interesting program of vocal and instrumental music, readings, illustrations of Cree syllabic characters, refreshments, and an exhibition and sale of art pictures.

MESSRS. Sears and Sears, who came in last week from Fort St. John, report that the guide who was with Insp. Moodie had returned from the summit of the Rockies. Insp. Moodie was still travelling with horses, there being very little snow in the mountains.

A LETTER was received last mail by the town clerk from the board of works, Ottawa, stating that work on the piers of the Edmonton bridge would be started again in March. Tenders for the construction of the superstructure will be called for in about two weeks now. They expect to have the bridge completed by the 1st of October.

The license for the operation of a ferry over the Athabasca river at the crossing of the trail to Lesser Slave lake, has been granted to W. Humberstone of this town, by the public works department at Regina. The department also called for tenders for the operation of ferries over the Pembina and Peace rivers and the Narrows of Lake St. Ann, but no tenders were received.

The sisters of the Edmonton general hospital beg to acknowledge receipt of favors from the following persons to whom they offer their sincere gratitude: Fur traders for the generous subscription of \$80 through the kind intervention of Mrs. Cowie; Mr. Blower, Dr. Harrison, Mr. Hayes, B. C. M. Doolan, from St. Albert; Fawcett, Ross Bros, and Mr. Renaud who nicely painted the hall on the first flat.

H. A. HARWOOD, of Brandon, came in last train to take a position in W. J. Walker's store here.

THE "Hardy Ideals" concert company will appear here for three nights—on the 22nd, 23rd and 24th.

A SPECIAL train came in yesterday bringing a number of Klondikers, two cars of horses and a number of cars of haled hay.

A. C. Fraser, of the Merchants Bank, Winnipeg, came in last week to take a position as teller in the bank's branch here.

The first hockey match of the series for the A. E. Potter trophy will be played on the Thistle rink on Thursday night of this week at 8 o'clock. Skating after match is over.

THE annual meeting of the Fort Saskatchewan agricultural society, for the election of officers, will be held at two o'clock at the Fort, on the 19th inst. The prize money for the last exhibition will be paid then.

A CROWDED audience filled the Methodist church last evening. The pastor discoursed on the value of obedience from Exodus iv, 3-4, and the choir sang with very fine effect the anthem "It is a good thing to give thanks."

In another column we reproduce a letter from Louis Couture and his party on behalf of the Canadian miners of Dawson City, received last mail, and from which it would appear that the Yukon mining laws are no more satisfactory in application than they are in theory.

MESSRS. PERGUS and Murray, who have been wintering at the Landing preparatory to starting for the Yukon, returned to town on Saturday in their portable house, which they have built on a pair of bob-sleighs. They intend to go north again when spring opens.

COL. A. J. WHITE and party of seven arrived from Battle Creek, Michigan, last week. Col. White, who has mined all through Central America, speaks in the highest terms of Edmonton as an outfitting point and has bought all his supplies here. He says hundreds are coming from Michigan via Edmonton.

THE contract for the new fittings for the Imperial bank here has been let to the Canadian Office & School Furniture Co. (Limited) of Preston, Ont. The entire interior of the office will be renovated and the new counter, desks, etc., will be of American quartered white oak. The cost of the new fittings will be in the neighborhood of \$1,000.

IN the debate on the speech from the throne, on the opening of parliament, Sir Wilfrid Laurier held out the hope of a future genuine all-Canadian route via Edmonton, by stating: "The St. Lawrence route was not adopted as a permanent one. It was considered that we should proceed from the interior, and he would not say this was not the best as an ultimate route, but to avoid the famine east winter and to obtain speedily and easy communication the St. Lawrence route was the best just now. They were not establishing a permanent route. That was to come later on."

INSPE. SNYDER, who left Edmonton on December 11th for Fort St. John, to undertake Insp. Moodie if he was found necessary, returned on Saturday. At Fort St. John he heard, through Insp. Moodie's guide who had returned, that Moodie's patrol was making very satisfactory progress through the mountains, via the Fort Graham pass. The snow was only three inches deep in the pass where there is generally five or six feet and the patrol was taking horses right through. They had a new guide, a half breed Ironhook, who has a good reputation throughout that country as a guide and hunter. Insp. Moodie's progress being satisfactory and the party in good condition, Insp. Snyder decided that it was unnecessary to overtake him and therefore turned back from St. John. All the Yukon bound parties were met along the trail, making good progress. The round trip with four dog teams and three drivers, to St. John and return, occupied just two months, including all stop over on the way. This ranks with Sgt. Major McDonald's trip as one of the record breakers.

TOWN COUNCIL.

At the regular meeting of the council held on Wednesday last, the following business was transacted:

COMMUNICATIONS.

H. M. Hansen, re pass Chicago to Ed. H. A. Boissat, re agent at Chicago.

L. Normandeau, re Yukon route.

A. McNicol, re auditor's report.

Brown & Robertson, re disbursement.

G. W. R. Almon, re officers bonds.

Mrs. Beck, re use of council chamber.

Blair, Reel & Blair, charter E. D. R. Co.

C. S. McCallum, W. H. Brandt, R. Wylie and J. Brunelle, re disorderly houses.

The communications of Messrs. McCallum, Brandt, Wylie, and Brunelle were referred to a committee for consideration and report at next meeting.

The hospital aid was allowed the use of the council chamber on the afternoon of the second Tuesday in each month.

Communications of G. W. R. Almon and Brown & Robertson were referred to the finance committee.

Communication of L. Normandeau asking for cash assistance in advertising the Edmonton route was filed and clerk instructed to forward him 50 copies of the Edmonton Bulletin's special number.

Mr. Boissat was written to the effect that the council was not able to make any expenditure for an agent, as requested.

The clerk was instructed to write to Mr. Kerr, of the C. P. R. asking for a pass for H. M. Hansen from Chicago to Edmonton.

Agreements were signed appointing Dr. Braithwaite medical health officer for the current year and N. D. Beck, Q. C., town solicitor.

The sum of \$150 was voted for the purpose of securing a guide to conduct the Fresno party through to Fort Nelson, as mentioned in another column.

The contract for the supply of coal to the municipality for the current year was awarded to S. Moran at the rate of \$1.90 a ton.

It was decided to place a two column advertisement in the C. P. R. Courier for three months, the advertisement to set forth the advantages of the town and its route to the Yukon.

A motion, moved by Councillor Picard and seconded by Councillor Houston, to appropriate the sum of \$150 for the purpose of exploring a feasible route from Peace river crossing to the head of Hay river and from thence to the Nelson river, was put and lost. Ayes, Picard, Houston and Humberstone. Nays, Edmonton, McLeod and Ross.

METEOROLOGICAL.

The following temperatures are reported from the Dominion government observatory, Edmonton, for the dates given:

February.

Thursday, 10, 34 Max. Min.

Friday, 11, 35 10

Saturday, 12, 34 21

Sunday, 13, 27 11

Monday, 14, 27 5

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31-40

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Tweed Flannel Shirts,
Heavy Ribbed Sweaters,
Heavy Wool Socks,
German Duffle Socks,
Woolen Mitts,
Woolen Gloves,
Silk Gloves,
Buckskin Gloves (lined),
Calfskin Gloves (unlined),
Horseshoe Gloves (lined),
Buckskin Mitts,
Wool Wristlets,
Storm Hood,
Silk Mufflers,
Cloth Caps,
Fur Caps.

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Miners' Split Shoes,
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Miners' Prospecting Boots (high cut),
Miners' Boots (long leg),
Miners' Knee Rubber Boots,
Miners' Hip Rubber Boots (snag proof),
Miners' Hip Rubber Boots (leather sole, nailed),
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Moose Skin Moccasins (sinew sewn),
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Tickets for sale with Floor Managers and Officers of the Association.

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EDMONTON BULLETIN, FEBRUARY 14th, 1898

DUNVEGAN PATROL.

Sgt. Major McDonell, who left Ft. Saskatchewan on the 17th of December last, on a patrol to Sturgeon lake, returned to Fort Saskatchewan on the 1st of February, having successfully completed his trip.

The route travelled was via Lake St. Ann's, crossing the lake at the Narrows and thence along its north shore and on to Stinking lake by the following night. The Pembina was reached at noon the following day and the Paddle river on the following morning. The next point of importance reached was the Hudson's Bay Co's post at the mouth of the McLeod river. There are only two buildings here, the company's and a Mr. McCallister's, a free trader. Gold has been washed out on the bars and old bottoms of the McLeod here, but not in paying quantities. It is flour gold. S. Gladu worked for three summers on the river and the most he made in one summer was \$300. From their camp here the patrol crossed the Athabasca at the mouth of the McLeod and travelled up Hawk Creek on the ice. The creek is from 30 to 40 feet wide and about ten miles up from its mouth a seam of coal is seen cropping out from its right bank.

The first camp of Yukon bound parties was struck at Little Smoky river. John Williamson was living in a dug out on Horse creek near its mouth. Mr. Williamson was accompanied by Joseph Ingram and Thos. Dickenson, who were living in a cabin about six miles from the Little Smoky, on Dog Eating Prairie where they had their horses. This party had all the provisions they wanted to last them till June. They left Edmonton on the 20th of September with 10 head of horses and intend prospecting all the streams as they go along, and do not expect to get past the Peace river this coming season. They are trapping, but their catches so far have been small. Messrs. Snyder and Brooke were also met near there. At Spirit river they found a party of Californians camped. The party was composed of J. E. Garner and wife, W. R. King and J. Kalligh. All were well and had plenty of provisions. They intend to start early in March and go as far as Peace river with horses, all of which are in good condition. Spirit river is a small stream which runs dry in the fall and winter. The people living there have to melt snow to get water and Sgt. Major McDonell says, snow is a scarce article there as the chinooks sweep that section of the country, in fact ever since the patrol crossed the Big Smoky they noticed the snow getting less. C. Bremner has a ranch at Spirit river, stocked with about 100 head of Polled Angus cattle, which he proposes taking through to the Yukon in the spring to sell for beef. From Spirit river the patrol continued on to Dunvegan where Messrs. Sears, Wigmore and MacDonald, of the Fresno party, and H. Burbank, were met on their way to Edmonton.

After collecting all letter mail from the parties camped around Dunvegan the patrol started back for Sturgeon lake and thence on to the McLeod river, having visited all Yukon parties on the way, collecting mail, etc. The only parties not seen between those points were two men who, a half breed reported to them, were camped off the trail on Goose Creek. The men were not on the way to the Yukon, but intended prospecting tributary streams of the Peace. They had seventeen horses and plenty of provisions. After a rest of a day at McLeod river Sgt. Major McDonell continued his journey to Lake St. Ann, arriving there on the evening of the 30th of January, fourteen and a half days journey from Dunvegan. Fort Saskatchewan was reached on the 1st of February. Sgt. Major McDonell was informed by St. Pierre Gauthier, one of his dog drivers, that up the Big Smoky, one day's travel from where the patrol crossed, he knew where there was a quantity of mica. Gauthier stated that he had wintered in that country last winter and made his camp where the mica was.

ST. JOHN TO THE NELSON.

As briefly mentioned in last issue, Messrs. Sears and Burbank appeared before the council at their meeting on Wednesday night with a proposition for municipal assistance in exploring the country from St. John to Fort Nelson, with the prime object of opening a trail for the Fresno party, to the last named point.

Mr. Sears appeared before the council and read the following letter signed by himself and a number of other members of the party: "This letter is written to inform you of the progress of the party leaving Edmonton for the Pelly last August. We arrived at St. John too late in the season to proceed farther and so made our winter quarters here. The letter

given us to Brick Bros, calling on them to furnish a guide as far as the Pelly, we have shown to Fred Albert, their agent here, and he says that he can do nothing towards furnishing us with a guide without first consulting Brick Bros. This is a proposal which we cannot accept as it is impossible for us to wait that long. If we wish to reach the northern country we must leave St. John this winter and for that purpose we have, since coming here, built flat sleighs and pressed hay to feed the horses while the snow is on the ground. All the minor details have been attended to so that we are now actually prepared to start. The route we propose taking and the one that seems most feasible, is to go direct from St. John to the Nelson, then build boats and go down that stream to the Liard when the ice breaks up, thence up the Liard to the Francis, up the Francis to the Francis lake then portage over to the Pelly. We are confident that under the existing circumstances this is not only the surest, but the quickest way of reaching Pelly banks."

Mr. Burbank, who has been in that country for the last eight years, was then requested to give some information about the proposed route and did so. According to Mr. Burbank the distance from Fort St. John north to Fort Nelson is 200 miles. For the first 100 miles there is a pack trail terminating at a trading post which Mr. Burbank established last year, half way between St. John and Fort Nelson. After this trading post is passed, and for the remaining 100 miles the track would be through the country of the Dog-rib Indians, or You-ka-wanas, as they call themselves. The first day's journey through this country takes the traveller through what the Indians call "The big wood" and after that the track would be through a country of fallen timber, where the fires have swept. Mr. Burbank's knowledge of the country was derived from the Dog-rib Indians, who, after Fort Nelson was abandoned by the Hudson's Bay Co., were compelled to pack their fur on their backs through this country to the post at Fort St. John. The Indians have neither horses or dogs so the country has never been travelled except by men on foot. After Fort Nelson is reached navigable water commences on that river and the trip by water is comparatively easy.

Messrs. Burbank, Sears, W. E. Haag and W. H. Knibb, left on Friday morning for Fort St. John, which they expect to reach about the 5th of March. At that point they will be joined by the Fresno party and start immediately for the Nelson river, which they expect to reach before the snow goes.

FROM DAWSON.

Dawson, N.W.T., 16th Dec., '97.

EDITOR BULLETIN.

SIR:—We beg to request that you will favor us with a fraction of your valuable space in which we will endeavor to set forth as plainly as possible, a proposition that so nearly concerns all Canadian mine owners, miners and shareholders interested in the Yukon mining district of our Northwest Territories. In short an application recommended by the gold commissioner of the Dominion has been forwarded to Ottawa for a grant of land for hydraulic mining purposes, of two and one half miles of placer diggings on Hunker Creek in the Klondike mining division of the Yukon district. In the first place the part of the Creek applied for has only a grade of two inches to the box and the scant supply of water and lack of dumping ground render it impossible to be worked by hydraulic process. The site is all staked out for placer diggings, 27 claims or thereabouts. But upon application to the gold commissioner here to record the same he refused to grant our rights, on the ground that he had recommended the site to be leased to a certain Mr. Anderson. He, the gold commissioner, acknowledged that he had not seen the site, nor had any of his subordinates, but recommended the lease solely upon Mr. Anderson's representation. If this lease, by false representation to our government, is granted, the privileges of Canadian miners are curtailed and a precedent established. If to occupy a new Creek, that is a creek not worked out by placer mining, in the above manner is lawful, then we most respectfully beg to apologize for our ignorance. But many of us who have worked in placer mines in Saskatchewan, British Columbia and other parts of the Dominion, never heard of such an outrage. The support of all true well wishers of the Dominion and the development of its Territories is most earnestly requested.

Should this lease be granted, then American capital will cut off from the Canadian miner the power to placer mine in his own country to such an extent as to necessitate his either entering the employ of the said companies, or leaving the field vacant to the booting capitalist and company promoter to deceive and defraud an enterprising people. The support of the honored and worthy member for Alberta is particularly requested, more so as several of the applicants for these claims on the lease are, or were, his constituents before coming to the Yukon, and do fully place their confidence in Mr. Oliver's sense of justice and power to lay bare and expose the

underhand scheme which is to be presented to the government, doubtless under false colors.

As the representatives of Canadian miners we have the honor to be, sir,
M. H. BOULAIS,
W. RAUEN,
GEO. H. TWEEDY,
LOUIS COUTURE,
On behalf of 25 others.

BEEF FOR THE YUKON, OVERLAND.

Messrs. J. P. Mansfield, W. S. Craig, G. W. Lang and August Kraft left Egg lake, north, last week with their band of 65 beef steers and 40 horses, to go to the gold fields, overland. From Egg lake they went across country to the Landing from whence they will go up the Athabasca and to Fort St. John, via Lesser Slave lake, Peace river crossing and Dunvegan. Their route from Fort St. John has not yet been decided upon though their present intention is to try and get through to the Black or Mud rivers before the season closes, and winter there. If they find the route north from Fort St. John to the Nelson more feasible they will go that way. They take plows and hay cutting machinery along and will stop travelling in August and prepare for winter. Hay has been arranged for along the road until after the snow leaves. The party do not expect to reach the Yukon until the fall of 1899.

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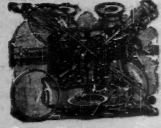
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FARMERS CO-OPERATIVE MEETING AT GLENGARRY.

On Wednesday night, 2nd instant, a meeting of the farmers of Glengarry, Riviere Qui Barre and Morinville was held at Mr. Ryan's, to take into consideration the advisability of building a grist mill in the vicinity. Mr. Maloney, M. L. A., was appointed chairman and the undersigned secretary. The chairman explained the object of the meeting, and called on the farmers to discuss the propriety of building a mill. A letter was read by Mr. J. F. McKee from Joseph Patenaud, Star Lake, Wis. Co., Wis., stating that he would operate a mill on conditions in this country. References were also read as to his ability as a millwright. Mr. Ryan was in favor of building a mill on the co-operative plan; and said that in the production of wheat this country can't be beat. Mr. Timney spoke in favor of forming a company on a systematic plan with competent directors; a man to operate it could easily be procured. He would be very glad to see steps that would lead to the establishment of a mill in the vicinity. Mr. R. A. McDonald thought it was a step in the right direction. He thought if the farmers would put up the frame that men would be found to put the proper machinery in the mill, as the building and site would be sufficient security. Mr. Donivan, in a practical speech, said it was time the farmers would awaken to their own interests; they were at present the slaves of the manufacturers, and not the least burden that they had to bear was set on their shoulders by the mills now operating. Mr. Doolan was ready to pay a good share in cash if the right steps were taken. Mr. Dupuis was in favor of the farmers co-operating. Mr. Hagman thought it was a step in the right direction. Mr. Rodberg thought very little capital was needed; if the company were incorporated the money would easily be procured. Mr. Maloney explained the requisites of a joint stock company; also how an incorporated company was procured. He also suggested to form a committee to correspond with manufacturers, and find out where the best and cheapest outfit for a mill could be procured. By resolution the following gentlemen were appointed a committee to look after correspondence and to solicit subscriptions for shares: Messrs. John Timney, R. A. McDonald, Joseph Poirer, Joseph Dupuis, John Hagman and O. N. La Vallée. Each share was valued at \$20. Twenty-five per cent., at least, of each share to be paid at the first call of directors; no other call to be made within six months. It was decided that a mill of a capacity of 75 to 100 barrels per day be erected, committee to find out the cost. The object of the above is to assist in building a flour mill for the benefit of the stockholders. The limit of shares to each stockholder not to exceed ten. A subscription list was opened and forty names were added to it on the spot, \$1,700 was subscribed. The public are well pleased with the business spirit that moved and animated this meeting and other meetings are called at the following dates and places at seven o'clock each evening. At Mr. Hagman's Long lake on Monday, 14th; Morinville on Tuesday, 15th; Namsa school, Sturgeon river, Wednesday, 16th; St. Albert on Thursday, 17th; Stony Plain, Spruce Grove, Friday, 18th; Glengarry school on Tuesday, 22nd. A general meeting is called at Glengarry on the 22nd; it is expected that the committee will be able to report on that night what information they have received from their correspondents. Other information will be given as to what final steps will be taken.

P. MONTAGHAN,
Secretary.

EDNA.

Nothing of serious importance has occurred lately. Of late we have our share of new fur coats and caps and an occasional gold watch and so on. Perhaps it is not generally known that there is no licensed house for the sale of intoxicants in this neighborhood and that one wanted, for nearly every resident in the Beaver Creek settlement is strongly opposed to the popular "medicine"-whiskey-it may be this is the reason why property is so pronounced here, respectable buildings, good looking stock, the latest improved machines, and, as Mr. Flaker said at the social and popular birthday party on New Year's eve, "This place takes the cake for lots of healthy babies." Miss Knapp is running the Edna school, and boards with Mr. Holmes. The settlers have lately built a stable at the school. The new trustees are Mr. A. Hackett, John Campbell, chairman; Mr. Maitland, sec. treas. Mr. W. H. Campbell has the contract for the school firewood, cut and delivered at 60 cents per cord—a coal mine has no show here. A year or two ago the settlers south of here chopped a winter road on a correction line which terminates 23 miles east of the Fort and opens out into a very desirable farming and ranching country. It is now rumored that our M. L. A. is going to improve the road this summer, so let it be. It is closed for a few weeks longer the trustees now are D. E. McLean, secretary; Hugh Campbell, chairman; W. A. Anderson, treasurer. A few days since Mr. and Mrs. Price, of Belmont, were visiting at Thiel's place. Mr. Price has been out looking up the teams that are for sale. The price of able animals is away up.

STONY PLAIN.

On Friday, Feb. 4th, a successful public entertainment was given in Warden school house in aid of "The Globe fund." The programme consisted of dialogues, recitations and songs and a debate. Messrs. Fletcher, Sieh, Truscott and Dods took part in the latter. Our enterprising citizen, Henry Miller, is going to favor the public by giving a magic lantern show followed by a dance on Saturday evening, Feb. 12th. A small fee to cover expenses will be charged for the former. Oscar Guinette has returned to the Plain from Golden. Judging by his appearance times are as good down there as ever. On Tuesday, Feb. 1st, Mr. Henry Kulak and Miss Myers agreed to take one another for better or for worse. We congratulate both parties and hope they may find it better. Mr. Zeigler is doing a rushing grain crushing business this winter.

HEATHER BRAE.

M. Lambert threshed for Mr. Butler Throssell last week, red fern wheat, that averaged eighty-eight bushels per acre. This is a fact which can be proved beyond a doubt—and not a fish story—Mr. Throssell's best office is Duhamel. A band of ten cows has been seen some ten miles north of here in a starving condition. No brand on them. Two Indians have gone to bed in it if they can find them. Our local dentist, N. A. Smith, has been kept busy pulling teeth for some time. Toothache seems to be an epidemic here.

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GEMMILL & MAY,
For the Applicants.
Ottawa, December 3rd, 1897.

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GEO. E. KIDD,
Solicitor for Applicants,
Ottawa, Ont., Dec. 9, 1897.

FORT LIARD.

W. J. McLean, who came in on last train with the Yukon Valley Prospecting and Mining Co., was from '63 to '73 in charge of the Hudson's Bay Company's post at Fort Liard. In reply to a request for information regarding that region, and the navigation of the Liard in particular, Mr. McLean stated: "Tracking up the Liard from Fort Simpson to Fort Liard was never considered difficult by the Hudson Bay Company's men, in fact there is nothing difficult about it, if taken at the right time of the year, that is when the water is not too high. The periods of high water are when the ice comes down with the spring rush and again when the snow first starts to thaw in the mountains. The rivers break up from the 20th of April to the 4th of May. The first difficulty to be met with in tracking up the river is the rapids which extend for 30 or 40 miles below the Devil's Portage. These rapids commence about 100 miles above Fort Liard, and are certainly difficult to track up during the period of high water. In the early days the company's men used to shoot them with their loaded boats, going down with the ice when it broke up. The Devil's portage is not difficult, as the ascent and descent from and to the river are easy and the portage is only three miles long. The best time to track up the rapids is from the 1st of September to the close of navigation which is generally about the middle of October. After the Devil's portage is passed navigation is fairly good up to the Brule portage which is a mile long; and from Fort Halkett to Francis lake the river is easily navigable if suitable boats are used and by a suitable boat I mean one that is large enough to carry from three to three and a half tons, and not larger. There are a number of portages over this stretch, but the only one of any extent is the Brule and it is easy to cross. The Devil's portage is the dividing line between the upper and lower Liard. The water shed of the Pelly and Liard is at Francis lake. Mr. McLean knew of gold in paying quantities having been found on the Liard as far back as '72. It was during his regime at Fort Liard that an old Cariboo miner named McCulloch came up the river from Fort Simpson and went on to the upper Liard where he washed out \$27,000 in one season and went out by the Dease and Stickeen rivers.

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CAIRNEY—On the 5th inst. the wife of T. P. Cairney, of a daughter.

DEATHS.

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LOST.
One yearling steer, red, with some white. Indentment on right shoulder. Finder will be rewarded on returning same to me. H. W. EDMONTON, Sec. 16, Tp. 53, Rge. 22.

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1895, \$8.00
1896, 7.25
1897, 7.20
1898, 8.00
Int., 2.75

Total, \$32.70 E. DEAN, Edmonton P. O.

NOTICE

Is hereby given that application will be made to the Parliament of Canada at its next session by The Central Canada Loan and Savings Company of Ontario for an Act to enable said company to carry on business anywhere in the Dominion of Canada, and to consolidate, define and declare its liabilities, obligations and powers, and to carry out the foregoing by incorporating its shareholders as a new Company.

Dated at Toronto, Dec. 1st, 1897.

E. T. MALONE, Solicitor for Applicants.

NOTICE

Is hereby given that application will be made to the Parliament of Canada at its next session for an Act to incorporate a company with power to construct, maintain and operate by any motive power a railway of standard or narrow gauge from a point in or near Edmonton, Northwest Territories, by the most feasible route to some point at or near the confluence of Smoky and Peace rivers or to some point between said confluence and Dawson, and branch lines to any length; also to own, charter and run steamships and other vessels; to acquire, operate and dispose of mines, minerals and their products; timber lands, water powers and privileges; and to do a general business as carriers; to build and operate tramways, bridges, ferries, telegraph and telephone lines, mills, wharves, dockage and to do a general business as carriers; to own and manage merchandise stores; to acquire the business of any other company or companies carrying on any similar business or businesses; and with all other powers useful, necessary or incidental to the objects above mentioned, and to carry out the foregoing by incorporating its shareholders as a new Company.

Dated the 10th day of December, 1897.

A. FERGUSON, Solicitor for the Applicants

NOTICE

Is hereby given that application will be made to the Parliament of Canada at its next session for an Act to enable the Calgary and Edmonton Railway Company to extend its railway so as to make connection with a line of railway constructed or to be constructed, through the Crow's Nest Pass, and to issue bonds upon such extension; to purchase and acquire any railway or works already constructed or to be constructed; to make and operate such connection, and to issue securities on the same free from the lien of the existing bond debt of the company; to change the head office of the company from Montreal to Toronto, and for other purposes.

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